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**HOUSE  
RESOLUTION No. \_\_\_\_ (ss)**

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Introduced by: Budak, Pelath

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A HOUSE RESOLUTION to recognize LeAnn Clem and Tamara Houser for their work in the Sexual Assault Response Team Program at the LaPorte Hospital Sexual Assault Center.

Whereas, The Sexual Assault Response Team Program was established in 2000 and was the first program of its kind in LaPorte County;

Whereas, The program ensures that the needs of crime victims are met, by providing for a collaboration between professionals from Law Enforcement, Prosecution, Victim's Assistance and the Forensic Nurses of the Sexual Assault Response Team;

Whereas, The Forensic Nurses of the Sexual Assault



Response Team are specifically skilled in medical care, evidence collection, preservation, identification and documentation of injuries and are on call 24 hours a day;

Whereas, LeAnn and Tamara's discipline, persistent efforts and exceptional skills are valuable assets to the LaPorte community; and

Whereas, Professional accomplishments of this caliber deserve special recognition, and

Whereas, The Sexual Assault Response Team Program provides a necessary and valuable service to the people of LaPorte and surrounding areas, and this program must continue for the benefit of the community, Now, therefore,

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the  
General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

SECTION 1. That the Indiana House of Representatives recognizes LeAnn Clem and Tamara Houser for their contribution to the LaPorte community in serving on the Sexual Assault Response Team of LaPorte Hospital.

SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the Indiana House of Representatives transmit a copy of this resolution to LeAnn Clem, Tamara Houser and LaPorte Hospital.

